I am a truck driver and use the traffic and weather reports to help me get through many of our larger cities in the U.S. I get the reports hundreds of miles out that regular AM & FM stations can not broadcast to. XM is there through the day and night with important information that local radio can not or will not give me. I plan my deliveries and routes based on information I get from XM.I used to work in broadcasting and this is a scam. The NAB of which I was a member once is a large fat cat trying to bully Satellite radio. Leave it alone. It a a a pay for service and I have only one vote... but it is mine. If you want it leave this issue in the trash!